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## Crossfield Sports Next Week Friday STORES CLOSE JULY 1

Although next Friday is decided to have the sports that day, owing to the fact that the next day (July 1st) being on a Saturday, would not be as suitable. This day, however, was not set to conflict with school work or shorten the kiddies day of fun, but there will be lots of everything to enjoy, and "sleep in" the next a.m.

It will be remembered that the stores will remain closed all day Saturday, Dominion Day, July 1.

## Around Field And Barn. By E. M. C.

Welcome rains have speeded up weed growth and delayed work on summerfallow, a condition that will need watching.

Those farmers who like to get their roads cleaned up early, would be wise to wait a while, or they may find they are in for a second job. But of course don't wait too long.

Those who had Sow thistle patches in past years would be wise to look the situation over, the extra moisture may have started growth. Continued wet will check some annuals but will encourage all perennials. Weeds are hard to beat, whichever way you take it. There is an implement for every condition, but carelessness will offset the good that the best equipment could do for you.

Pastures are good anyway.

I was looking over a field with the farmer—summerfallow sown to wheat. He told me he had followed all the advice and instructions as precaution against cut worms, except the thistle patches, he did not like to see them get green, so he cultivated them.

The cut worms have taken everything except where he worked the thistle, there the crop is good, nice green patches on a bare field. Don't ask me, anyone know? He could not give me very definite dates, but says he did not do any fall work.

## And Then It Rained

During the last two or three weeks, we have learned of many happenings on the humorous side of the almost continuous rain.

Like Joe Fike using his rubber boot to determine the amount of rainfall from day to day. Knowing that, when his large toe is completely submerged, the answer is 1.18 inches.

Then too, Cal was somewhat at a loss, when he depended on his tobacco tin, because some of our feathered friends "had mistaken it for a bird-bath."

Rev. Hunt employed a good idea by using a tomato tin, for, with so lovely a picture of a nice ripe tomato, the tomato plants are sure to become envious, and do their best to become bigger and better than the picture before them.

Running water is a wonderful convenience, but not when the plumbing is outside. It was the hole in the roof. Wasn't it Ernie?

We does not even have to place his tin outside to determine the amount of moisture, just anywhere in the room will do.

We venture to bet that a number of the local men who, when they were boys, probably hesitated when they were asked to carry a couple of pails of water into the house, but have in the last week or two pumped and carried numerous pails OUT of their cellars, and we have noticed smiles.

Apparently all the irrigation experts are not at Brooks, for, Walt Kursteiner did some splendid ditch-work at the bank

## United Church S. S. Picnic

The United Church Sunday School picnic will be held at Bowness, Calgary, on Saturday, June 24th. All cars will leave at 1 p.m. sharp. Be on time. Menu per family and one extra salad, sandwiches, cake or pie, with dishes extra. Bowness gate admission, 50¢ for everyone. Parents accompany children if possible. If wet weather continues, through Friday, the picnic will be postponed.

## Province Pays \$50,000 For Credit House Building

The provincial government has purchased the Merchants Bank building, on Centre street and Eighth avenue, as headquarters for their credit house system in Southern Alberta at a cost of \$50,000.

Confirmation of the report that the building had been disposed of and the purchase price paid, was received from H. C. Francis, manager of the Bank of Montreal.

Several days ago the deal was completed when a cheque for \$50,000 was received by the Bank of Montreal, being payment in full for property.—C. Herald

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

As an act of courtesy "Letters to the Editor" are published, and the Chronicle cannot be held responsible for the opinions expressed.

Dear Editor:

It's beginning to look as though this theory of "Support Your Home Town", which has been fostered and preached by the local village council and the Board of Trade, is just a lot of poppycock, intended for the suckers. Many of the boys around town felt the same way as I did in this matter, and why shouldn't we? We endeavour to remain loyal citizens. We spend all our hard-earned sheekies here; yet, when a job comes along, whether it is to be sponsored by the Board of Trade, the Village Council or the Canadian Legion, do we get a crack at it? Oh no, not us; the local boys are forced to hang around. About the only friend we have in town; the Oliver Cafe, because our streets and park are full of Calgary workers, who are, no doubt, getting good remuneration.

"What an Outfit!" Is all we can say.

Thanking you for space in your paper,

Yours Truly,  
A Local.

## PRECIPITATION

Weekly rain by official gauge, from May 1st.

This Week	Total
2.19	9.44
Reading of gauge from Wednesday to Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.	

## Water Valley Notes.

There is more rain around Water Valley than there has been for the last ten years. Whoopee, old times are back.

We have a cowboy sheriff looking after lumber on Bituma flats. All he lacks is a gun and a pony.

Bob Laurence looking through the Chronicle to see if they mentioned his S. C. boots. We wonder if they are still holding out the shush.

It seems that the Bituma trustees can't settle their disputes, so are having a school meeting on Monday, when the scholars are present. (Six-gun Kelly has his troubles.)

Bill Franks gave a dance in his new home. They decided to have ice cream — no extract — so tried strawberry jam; but according to reports, it was not so classy.

One of the neighbour women in the Bituma district complaining that Ivy Laveque gets all the breaks. Why can't we board the teacher?

## Memorial Nears Completion

Outside of the panel for the inscription, the Crossfield War Memorial has been completed, and it will take some two weeks before the said panel is ready.

This memorial adds what the local park has been lacking, and what the veterans have looked forward to for the past twenty years.

## Avondale Calf Club Wins Promotion

The Acme park will be a very busy place tomorrow afternoon when the following events will be taking place:

The Avondale Golf Club will hold a show and sale.—Taken from the Calgary Herald, June 20th.

Saturday-Night dances in Water Valley are a roaring success. It looks as though someone will have to buy the chocolates.

Granny Day will see the road were in shape to go car-riding.

## Their Majesties at Banff



Their Majesties thoroughly enjoyed their rest from official duties when they visited the Banff Springs Hotel in the heart of the Canadian Rockies at Banff, Alberta. The Royal Party reached Banff on Friday evening, May 26th and remained until Sunday morning, May 28. Both King George and Queen Elizabeth liked and drove over Banff's trails and roads and both expressed their delight and pleasure in the magnificent scenery surrounding the great internationally famous playground. Photograph shows Their Majesties chatting with St. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King on the terrace of the Banff Springs Hotel, and enjoying a view down the Bow River Valley. This terrace overlooks the "Mile High Golf Course", with Cascade Mountain in the background.

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CROSSFIELD, THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 1939



Many listeners have requested the message over CFAC through the CBC as the Royal Ship steamed out of Halifax, homeward bound.

We reproduce it herewith:

## A Farewell to Their Majesties

By DUNCAN CAMPBELL SCOTT

From coast to coast your people with elation  
Have given you gladly all their loyal praise;  
At last fades out the welcome of a Nation,  
And into story pass these noble days.

"Take from our hearts these faithful words in parting.  
When from our shore the lordly ship goes free,  
While the last, swift Canadian gulls are darting,  
And the long harbour opens to the sea.

May many a lovely memory never perish,  
Scenes of our glorious country; far above  
All the land's peerless beauty may you cherish  
The crowning glory of a people's love.

While the King reigns from ocean to ocean,  
Under the wide, serene Canadian sky,  
We whom you leave in ageless, deep devotion,  
Can never to our Sovereign say good-bye.

Master of Life whose power is never sleeping  
In the dark void or in the hearts of men,  
Hold them, our King and Queen, safe in Thy keeping  
And bring them to their Western realm again.

And for their Canada be watchful ever,—  
Grant us this boon if there be one alone,  
To do our part in high and pure endeavour  
To build a peaceful Empire 'round the Throne.

## Names! Names! Names!

A radio station may be a peculiar place, the people in it may be a little... different, and again their names might not be quite as common as Smith or Jones, but by the look of some of the letters that come in, we wonder if some of our listeners aren't a little hasty in their decision; some of them aren't even willing to give us the benefit of the doubt. Let's take for an example that well-

known friend of the shut-ins, Dick Tregillus. Dick has a terrible time, no one seems to be quite sure what his name is. Here are a few of the titles bestowed upon him: Dick MacGillis, Nicktra Gillis, Victor Dillis, Dick De Gillis, and a number of others you wouldn't believe. By the way, the correct spelling is D-i-c-k T-r-e-g-i-l-l-u-s.

We aren't blaming the listeners exactly, because, on looking

around the station we find that there are some names that aren't quite common: our manager's name is Gordon Henry; then there are: Rolphe, Cecil Kappey, Card, Dennett, Mayette, Darroch, Tweed, Meadows, Earle Connor, McQuillin, and maybe even yours truly. On second thought, let's forget about it.

Next week we will have some very interesting news for you concerning CFAC and the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede. It's real news, so keep tuned to this column.

## "The Voice of Wilf Carter"

The range melodies of Wilf Carter have been heard over CFAC for some time now. Your columnist has been doing a little delving, and has found out a few interesting facts that some of you may not know. One thing is that Wilf Carter really was a cowboy.

Wilf Carter was introduced to the public as a singing cowboy in... Calgary. A locomotive engineer in Calgary heard his songs and was impressed. He introduced him to the public. First Wilf appeared on the stage of a local theatre... not without the usual stage-fright and nervousness. Shortly thereafter he came on the air. It wasn't long before the Canadian Radio Commission (then) heard about him, and Wilf Carter was on the Network. CFAC had the pleasure of 'carrying' his broadcasts.

Wilf was offered bigger money in the Eastern United States, and so he left the west. It wasn't long before records bearing his name were seen and listened to throughout the continent.

An interesting thing about this famous artist is that he writes nearly every song you hear him sing... he accompanies himself on all of them.

Wilf Carter is doing very well for himself now, and one could hardly expect him to desert the 'bright lights,' but we understand that he has a ranch here in Alberta, north-west of Calgary, which he intends to operate himself when the time comes for him to retire.

Those of you who didn't know, will now realize that when you tune into CFAC every morning at 7:00 a.m. that voice you hear is more than that of Wilf Carter... it is the voice of a true westerner,

## Goozies

Somehow or another we for got to mention laughing Dick, in the Chronicle last week, but dash it all Dick, why not do something of greater interest than watching the waitress write love letters? or was it for you?

The publishers have been informed, that the local paper is like a meal, takes so long to prepare and only a few minutes to digest.

Why don't they make it a law to have salesmen call on you after business hour, it would be a treat to run a business.

There are tricks in all trades, but how does John Zanni keep his pipe going in these heavy rains?

We do feel sorry for you Jack, but those horses will upset your tummy.

She claims she hasn't seen him since Friday. What's up Nora?

A. W. Gordon amazed when told that Saturday is the day for 'baths'. That part of it is alright, but in this weather!

Miss Mildred giving orders, but she says she isn't mamma,

The Modern Girl may not be able to add, but she certainly can distract.

C. Asmusen still maintains that it would be swell to have a cushion on the new Fire Engine.

Someone waiting for a special invitation to a certain country home. To have the car tuned up?

But believe me, I'm not playing Gooseberry again!

It may be true, as one writer says, that half the people are crazy. But how can you tell which half is which?

Snipes, Fred?

Lewis Lennon going to bed early. What's the idea, Lew?

It must be nice to have a lady friend and get the odd box of sweets.

We heard that rimless glasses made a person look about four years younger. There's a great chance,.....

Business goes where it is invited and stays where it is made welcome.

a man who came right from our midst. He was a cowboy on these western Canadian plains and knows well the country of which he sings.

## ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES.

There was a fair turn out of the high School students at church on Sunday evening last. The rector spoke on the Magna Charta as the foundation of our Constitution of the present day and all our civil liberties and religions.

The Sunday school will close down on Sunday next for the summer months.

The Junior W. A. also closed down on Monday, the 19th until the fall. The first part of the meeting was spent in Hymns, Prayers and the packing of Layette and toys, to be sent to Missionary Dorcas work. All missionary obligations were paid and a good surplus shown in the bank. After the meeting the members were entertained by Mrs. Currie to supper, games and a peanut scramble. It was hoped to have the supper on the lawn, but owing to the damp weather, this was found impossible. Owing to the storm, games had to be closed down rather hurriedly.

The rain received this month reminds us of the prosperous years of not so long ago. Good times are just ahead.

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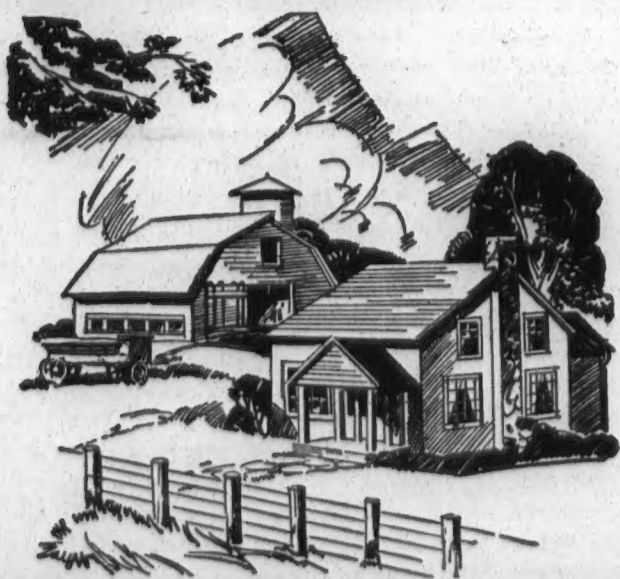
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Pure Plum Jam, 4-lb. cans, each	39c
Pure Peach Jam, 4-lb. cans, each	49c
Dollar Sodas, wooden boxes, each	33c
Quick Cooking Oats Wafer Flakes, per packet	10c
Salad Dressing 8-oz. jars	20c
Salad Dressing, 32-oz. jars, each	50c
Sandwich Spread, 8-oz. jars, each	20c
Calumet Baking Powder, double-acting, 16-oz. tins	28c
St. Vincent Arrowroot Biscuits, per lb.	35c
California Brown Cooking Onions, 3 lbs. for	25c
Kraft Mayonaise and Sandwich Spread, 6-oz. jars, ea.	15c
Paper Serviettes, assorted colors, 100 in packet, each	15c
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### Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mossop were Sylvan Lake visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Fike was a visitor to the southern city on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Marles left Thursday last on a motor trip below the line.

Next Friday is the big day for the Crossfield residents. It's Friday, and sports day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dawson were northern visitors one day last week.

Let L. Becker do your digging. Dirt sods, gardens, etc. Work satisfactory. (293c)

Steve Andrioski, of Two Hills, is spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. Nielsen.

Mr. A. S. Gough, Reeve of the Rosebud Municipality, was in Crossfield on Tuesday in connection with municipal affairs.

Miss Wilda Laut returned to Edmonton with Dr. and Mrs. Kelso, who spent the weekend at the Laut home here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hendry left Wednesday for Dundalk, Ontario, where they will spend the summer months.

We were informed that little Billie Nielsen underwent a tonsils operation last Saturday, returning home Sunday, and is progressing favorably.

Mrs. John Sinner, of Portland Oregon, is visiting at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Helzer, for about a month.

Among those who took in the Olds Sports Wednesday, we noticed Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Huston and family, Chuck Hopper, A. McMillan, E. W. Hoover, G. Lim.

See the local merchants advertisements next week for SPORTS DAY BARGAINS

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- ☐ Pictorial Review, 1 yr.
- ☐ Canadian Horticulture & Home Magazine, 1 yr.
- ☐ Country Guide and Northwest Farmer, 3 yrs.

- ☐ Family Herald and Weekly Star, 1 yr.
- ☐ Rod and Gun, 1 yr.
- ☐ Silver Screen, 1 yr.
- ☐ Parents, 6 mos.
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- ☐ Parents, 1 yr.
- ☐ Christian Herald, 1 yr.

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- ☐ Canadian Magazine, 1 yr.
- ☐ National Home Monthly, 1 yr.
- ☐ Pictorial Review, 1 yr.
- ☐ Rod and Gun, 1 yr.
- ☐ Silver Screen, 1 yr.
- ☐ Fam. Herald & Wily Star 1 yr.
- ☐ Western Producer, 1 yr.
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- ☐ National Home Monthly, 1 yr. .... 2.00
- ☐ Western Producer, 1 yr. .... 2.00
- ☐ Pictorial Review, 1 yr. .... 2.00
- ☐ Colliers Weekly, 1 yr. .... 2.50
- ☐ American Magazine, 1 yr. .... 3.00
- ☐ True Story, 1 yr. .... 3.15
- ☐ Magazine Digest, 1 yr. .... 3.45
- ☐ Red Book, 1 yr. .... 3.95
- ☐ Newsweek, 1 yr. .... 4.45
- ☐ Physical Culture, 1 yr. .... 2.95
- ☐ Christian Herald, 1 yr. .... 3.50
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## King George VI

A HISTORY IN  
THIRTY  
CHAPTERS



### CHAPTER TWENTY-EIGHT

"It is a wise father that knows  
his own child"

—Shakespeare.

When the present King George the Sixth returned from his tours of Australia, New Zealand, and other sections of the Empire on June 27th 1927, where he had been accompanied by his wife, the present Queen Elizabeth, it was the last Empire trip that he undertook, although this was not realized at that time. Owing to a number of causes beyond his control, his services as representative of the King were required at home and he could not undertake any voyage which demanded his absence from the British Isles for any lengthy period. Towards the end of 1928, his father, the late King George the Fifth, was quite sick, and time and again, he had to replace the sovereign at certain functions. Then again, he was the only son of the King who remained at home since his other brothers were abroad, and this brought some responsible tasks to his office. Furthermore, he travelled in all parts of England, Scotland and Wales in tours of inspection and in this way it rounded out a very busy year of public service. However, in the following year of 1929, he made a trip to Norway to represent the King at the wedding of Crown Prince Olaf to Princess Martha of Sweden, and both the Duke and the Duchess had a chance to visit Berlin, making the first time that a Royal Prince came to Germany since the World War. In 1930, they travelled to Brussels to once again represent the British Royalty at the wedding of Crown Prince Humbert of Italy to Princess Marie Jose of Belgium.

On August 31st 1930, another child was born to this Royal couple and she was named Margaret Rose. Her birth

aroused a great deal of interest throughout the Empire because the child that was born at the historic castle of Glamis was the fourth in succession to the throne. For a time this happy event curtailed the activities of the Duchess, but not for long. Not only did the Royal couple travel throughout the length and breadth of the land to represent the British Royal Family, but in 1931 they again went for a trip on the continent for the Great Colonial Exposition in Paris, returning later in the same year for a ceremonial in their honour given by the Municipal Council in Paris. In July of the same year, the present King and Queen flew to the International Exposition in Brussels. This marked the first time that the Queen had been in an aeroplane and the last time that the King had visited a foreign country before his accession to the throne as King George the Sixth, except for a brief and sad trip later in the year to represent his father at the funeral of Queen Astrid who was killed in a motoring accident.

It is obvious that the second son of the King answered the calls of his father on many occasions, particularly when his brothers were away or when the King himself was unable to fulfill his affairs of state on account of poor health. This knowledge and experience really prepared him for the high task that he was to assume only a few years later, though at this time there was no reason to suspect what the future held in store for the second son of the King, whose personality, kindness, love of the people everywhere in the Empire, enthusiasm for his public duties, and other qualities, made him a popular idol of old and young, rich and poor, especially when his actions and his thoughts in-

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Sunday School at 11:00.  
Worship Service at 7:30.  
Worship service alternate Sunday mornings at Rodney and Madden.  
Afternoon services at Tan-y-Bryn and Oneil, as announced in other columns.  
"Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness." —Jesus

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Abernethy School, 3:00 p.m.

## KING GEORGE SIXTH.

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dicated that he resembled his beloved father in mind and heart more than any of the other children of the reigning sovereign who was liked by everyone in the four corners of the globe wherever the British flag was the symbol of freedom, justice and fair play.

(continued next week)  
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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

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Water Valley  
Alberta, 15-6-39.

To The Editor  
Crossfield Chronicle  
Dear Sir:

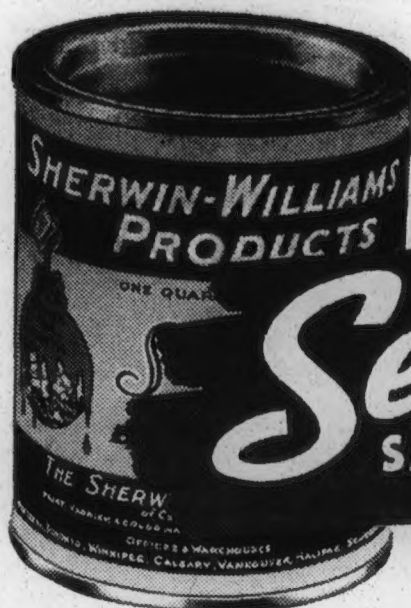
Reading through your issue of June 8th. We all appreciate the efforts of your Water Valley representative, Glen—I believe, to give us the Water Valley news, but don't you think he might stick to the news and leave personalities out of it. Water Valley is a small hamlet, where gossip is rife and a few unguarded remarks dropped, in fun perhaps, are apt to hurt people's feelings and cause unwarranted scandal.

Thanking you  
Yours truly

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## MARKET PRICES

WHEAT	
1 Hd.....	64c
1c.....	63
2c.....	60
3c.....	57
4c.....	51
No. 5.....	44
No. 6.....	37
Fd.....	30
GARNET WHEAT	
1 cw.....	55
2 cw.....	52
3 cw.....	47
OATS	
2 cw.....	30
3 cw.....	27
1 Fd.....	26
2 Fd.....	24
3 Fd.....	22
BARLEY	
6 R.....	38
2 R.....	38
3 cw.....	35
4 cw.....	33
5 cw.....	32
6 cw.....	31
FLAX	
1 cw.....	144
2 cw.....	
RYE	
2 cw.....	45
HOGS	
Select Bacon.....	8.50
Bacon.....	8.00
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By H. G. L. Strange

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Some may desire to have their fields inspected next fall so that they can sell the seed in carlots, or sealed in the sack as Registered or Certified.

If this the intention then farmers with Registered seed must communicate before July 1st, with Mr. W. T. G. Weiner, Secretary of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, at Ottawa, and those with Certified seed should write to the District Supervisor of Production Services-Plant Products, at Winnipeg, or Saskatoon, or Calgary, for each of the respective provinces. These gentlemen will then inform the farmer about the next steps to be taken.

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### Cremona Notes

It has been raining steady, night and day, for the past two weeks. The order of the day is pumping cellars and ditching to get places dry once again. The crops have come along so that the ground is covered. Mail has been going one day and coming back the next, by means of a truck, horses, etc. People with

trucks have to be careful now on account of the washouts, ruts and water holes. It is best to hold up for a while before going places.

Owing to the wet weather and bad roads, public functions have all been cancelled indefinitely.

We hear that Cremona is holding a sports day on June 30th, Harry Hall's orchestra will be in attendance at the dance at night.

Roy McGregor, of Elkton, who passed away in Calgary June 9, had been ill for some time, and is expected to be interred at the Cremona cemetery.

Business goes where it is invited and stays where it is made welcome.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ingham, of Madden, announce the marriage of their son, Frank Lansing Ingham, to Perna Lee Jess, on June 4th, at Pasadena, both of North Hollywood, California.

### UNITED CHURCH NOTES.

Services next Sunday at Madden and Oneil.

Register with the minister at once for camp.

Work for her own people and homes for helpless refugees are two things Canada must provide in order to preserve her national health and a place among nations who lead in simple, human decency. Individuals and governments must work together to accomplish this. A Committee To Aid Spanish Democracy, offices New York, publishes the following letter, sent by a refugee pastor in England.

"My wife and children have been refugees here for more than one year. In all that time we have not been able to be together because the refuge in which they are admits only women and children. Now that refuge is going to be closed and I do not know where my family is going to stay, because I do not wish that they return to Spain since I cannot go there.

My greatest preoccupation now is my family, because I have no idea what I can do for them. I have offered myself for teaching Spanish, because I am a qualified teacher from the University of Barcelona; but I have not so far found anything in this line.

For the present it is not possible for refugee pastors to return to Spain. Everyone who goes there is put in a concentration camp. Our evangelical churches are closed. All Protestant believers are very much frightened because they are being dismissed from their places of employment for no other reason than that they are Evangelicals. These are days of great trials for the gospel in Spain. A great many believers have been exiled and not a few are in concentration camps, where the life is indescribable on account of the sufferings they have to endure. Almost all the pastors who are alive today are in exile.

I know that some Americans have assumed responsibility for the support of Spanish children. Could there be among your many friends in that country someone who would take care to help directly my four little daughters who are 8, 7, 6, and 5 years of age?

Zacaris P. Carles.

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